

SENATE RESOLUTION 100

By Ketron

A RESOLUTION to commend Rikki Lyn Erwin for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Rikki Lyn Erwin is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Bill Ketron; Ms. Erwin's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at the University of Tennessee at Martin, Rikki Erwin has achieved academic success while majoring in public relations with a minor in political science and participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Student Government Association, the Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature, Phi Eta Sigma, the Undergraduate Alumni Council Leaders in Residence, the Ned Ray McWherter Institute, Alpha Delta Pi, and National Model Congress; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Ms. Erwin is a McWherter Scholar and has received the Cunningham Outstanding Freshman Award, the Honorable Senator Award, and the Distinguishable Service Award. She was chosen as Most Philanthropic by Alpha Delta Pi and named Best House Delegation by the Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Rikki Erwin brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2017 session of the One Hundred Tenth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2017 legislative session, she has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Rikki Erwin has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Rikki Lyn Erwin for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Bill Ketron and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.